Introduced by Senator Knight

February 11, 2003

An act to amend and repeal Section 48209.16 of the Education Code, relating to pupil attendance, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 164, as introduced, Knight. Pupil attendance.

Existing law requires each person between the ages of 6 and 18 years, not otherwise exempt, to attend the public full-time day school in the district in which their parent or guardian is a resident. Existing law establishes alternatives to this attendance requirement including, but not limited to, interdistrict transfers, which are operative until July 1, 2003, and as of January 1, 2004 are repealed.

This bill would extend the operative date of the attendance alternatives to July 1, 2007, and would extend the repeal date to January 1, 2008.

This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.

Vote: ²/₃. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 48209.16 of the Education Code is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 48209.16. This article shall become is inoperative on and
- 4 after July 1, 2003 2007, and, as of January 1, 2004 2008, is
- 5 repealed, unless a later enacted statute, which and becomes

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effective on or before January 1, 2004 2008, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.

3 SEC. 2. This act is an urgency statute necessary for the 4 immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety 5 within the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go 6 into immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:

To ensure that existing pupil attendance alternatives remain available to parents and schools, it is necessary that this act take effect immediately.